

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Applicant : Daisuke ITOH, et al.  
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For : FINE METAL PARTICLES AND FINE  
METAL OXIDE PARTICLES IN DRY  
POWDER FORM, AND USE  
THEREOF  
Examiner : Unknown  
Art Unit : Unknown

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:


Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing and enclosing seven (7) references to be considered by the Examiner. As indicated in the accompanying Form PCT/ISA/210, all of the listed references were cited in the International Search Report in the international phase of the present U.S. national phase application except Document 11-319538 (listing number 3) is cited in the specification. Although these references already of record during the International Phase of the application, they are submitted in the present Information Disclosure Statement for the convenience of the Examiner and to endure that the references are listed on the cover of any patent issued on the present application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date, with an RCE or before receipt of a first office action after an RCE and no fee is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
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